

# Volta Resources Inc. Continues to Report Wide Intersections at its Kiaka Gold Project in Burkina Faso

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## **109.0 m @ 1.36 g/t gold, including 16.0m @ 3.69 g/t gold**

TORONTO, March 4 /[CNW](#)/ - [Volta Resources Inc.](#) ("Volta" or the "Company") (TSX: VTR) announces the drill results from the next completed section from its on-going drilling program comprising more than 250 holes for approximately 50,000 meters in the Central Area at its Kiaka Gold Project in Burkina Faso (see News Release of 22 September 2010).

Results have been received for 5 holes located on Section 5475N, respectively some 25m NE of previous released section 5450N (see News Release of February 22nd). These holes are aimed at infilling the main deposit defined so far in the Central Area to a 25m x 50m drill spacing and to extend the drilling depth down a further 100 vertical meters. The highlights from the section include:

- \* KRD182 : 73.1m @ 0.90g/t Au, incl. 19.0m @ 2.24g/t Au
- \* KDH184 : 93.9m @ 1.03g/t Au, incl. 18.0m @ 2.00g/t Au
- \* KDH186 : 65.0m @ 1.11g/t Au, incl. 6.0m @ 2.57 g/t Au AND 11.0m @ 3.53g/t Au
- \* KRD189 : 109.0m @ 1.36g/t Au, incl. 16.0m @ 3.69 g/t Au
- \* KDH190 : 174.0m @ 0.86g/t Au, incl. 29.0m @ 1.76 g/t Au

Kevin Bullock, Volta's CEO, said, "At this point, after repeated and consistent positive results, we are eager to advance Kiaka to the next stage of its development. We have widened and lengthened the mineralized zones and followed them deeper than ever before. We anticipate our updated NI 43-101 resource, due out by the end of June, will provide a foundation to accelerate Kiaka's development path."

The holes on Section 5475N have extended the Kiaka Main Zone (KMZ) mineralization to over 300m vertical depth. Results for the holes are highlighted in Table 1 and in Figure 2. Analyses of the Volta samples were undertaken by fire assay on a 50g charge at ALS Chemex Laboratories in Ouagadougou. Volta's sampling and assay procedures included QA/QC elements that employed the inclusion of certified standards and blanks.

### **Table 1: Highlights of gold intersections for Section 5475N.**

| BHID   | FROM   | TO     | INTERVAL | Au g/t | COMMENTS             |
|--------|--------|--------|----------|--------|----------------------|
| KRD182 | 46.00  | 131.00 | 85.00    | 0.80   |                      |
| INCL   | 66.00  | 79.00  | 13.00    | 1.45   |                      |
| INCL   | 83.95  | 87.00  | 3.05     | 1.62   |                      |
| INCL   | 96.00  | 100.00 | 4.00     | 1.25   |                      |
| INCL   | 109.80 | 121.00 | 11.20    | 1.23   |                      |
| AND    | 147.00 | 223.00 | 76.00    | 0.69   |                      |
| INCL   | 157.00 | 168.00 | 11.00    | 1.03   |                      |
| INCL   | 173.00 | 189.00 | 16.00    | 1.09   |                      |
| INCL   | 195.00 | 206.00 | 11.00    | 0.85   |                      |
| AND    | 238.00 | 311.10 | 73.10    | 0.90   |                      |
| INCL   | 243.00 | 262.00 | 19.00    | 2.24   |                      |
| INCL   | 278.00 | 283.00 | 5.00     | 1.16   |                      |
| KDH184 | 4.00   | 16.00  | 12.00    | 1.61   |                      |
| INCL   | 4.00   | 15.00  | 11.00    | 1.69   |                      |
| AND    | 21.20  | 26.20  | 5.00     | 1.24   |                      |
| AND    | 98.10  | 192.00 | 93.90    | 1.03   |                      |
| INCL   | 103.60 | 122.00 | 18.40    | 1.65   |                      |
| INCL   | 127.00 | 145.00 | 18.00    | 2.00   |                      |
| AND    | 219.00 | 239.00 | 20.00    | 0.99   |                      |
| INCL   | 220.00 | 227.15 | 7.15     | 1.53   |                      |
| INCL   | 231.00 | 236.00 | 5.00     | 1.11   |                      |
| KDH186 | 2.50   | 78.00  | 75.50    | 0.94   |                      |
| INCL   | 40.00  | 57.00  | 17.00    | 2.28   |                      |
| INCL   | 63.00  | 66.00  | 3.00     | 1.34   |                      |
| AND    | 84.00  | 100.00 | 16.00    | 0.61   |                      |
| INCL   | 92.00  | 96.00  | 4.00     | 1.19   |                      |
| AND    | 107.00 | 172.00 | 65.00    | 1.11   |                      |
| INCL   | 110.00 | 116.00 | 6.00     | 2.57   |                      |
| INCL   | 125.00 | 136.00 | 11.00    | 3.53   | 126.0-127.0 / 23.5   |
| KRD189 | 0.00   | 70.30  | 70.30    | 1.39   |                      |
| INCL   | 0.00   | 33.00  | 33.00    | 1.61   | 21.0-22.0m : 13.6g/t |
| INCL   | 38.00  | 57.30  | 19.30    | 1.94   |                      |
| INCL   | 99.00  | 102.00 | 3.00     | 1.12   |                      |
| INCL   | 123.00 | 126.00 | 3.00     | 1.04   |                      |
| AND    | 139.00 | 248.00 | 109.00   | 1.36   |                      |
| INCL   | 139.00 | 165.60 | 26.60    | 1.79   |                      |
| INCL   | 168.00 | 180.00 | 12.00    | 1.74   |                      |
| INCL   | 204.00 | 207.00 | 3.00     | 1.24   |                      |
| INCL   | 232.00 | 248.00 | 16.00    | 3.69   | 234.0-235.0m : 20    |
| AND    | 264.80 | 275.00 | 10.20    | 0.52   |                      |
| AND    | 304.70 | 344.70 | 40.00    | 1.01   |                      |
| INCL   | 318.00 | 322.00 | 4.00     | 1.51   |                      |
| INCL   | 333.00 | 340.00 | 7.00     | 2.41   |                      |
| KDH190 | 47.00  | 76.00  | 29.00    | 0.54   |                      |
| INCL   | 54.00  | 58.00  | 4.00     | 1.70   |                      |
| AND    | 111.00 | 285.00 | 174.00   | 0.86   |                      |
| INCL   | 139.00 | 148.40 | 9.40     | 1.79   |                      |
| INCL   | 183.00 | 191.00 | 8.00     | 2.06   |                      |
| INCL   | 206.00 | 235.00 | 29.00    | 1.76   |                      |
| INCL   | 249.00 | 253.00 | 4.00     | 1.04   |                      |
| INCL   | 258.00 | 261.00 | 3.00     | 1.50   |                      |
| INCL   | 264.00 | 285.00 | 21.00    | 0.95   |                      |
| AND    | 293.00 | 354.00 | 61.00    | 0.77   |                      |
| INCL   | 301.00 | 311.00 | 10.00    | 1.01   |                      |
| INCL   | 314.00 | 319.00 | 5.00     | 1.29   |                      |
| INCL   | 328.00 | 331.00 | 3.00     | 1.34   |                      |
| INCL   | 339.00 | 343.00 | 4.00     | 2.00   |                      |
| AND    | 390.00 | 402.00 | 12.00    | 0.99   |                      |
| INCL   | 391.00 | 394.00 | 3.00     | 1.69   |                      |

**Notes on Tables 1:**

1) Intervals are core length. True width is unknown at this time.

2) Intersections are based on a 0.3 g/t gold cut-off with maximum internal dilution (MID) of 5m for the lower

grade mineralization envelop, except for holes KRD182, KDH 184 and KDH 189 where it has been increased to 6m.

3) In order to highlight the continuity of the high grade zone, a 0.8 g/t gold cut-off with maximum internal dilution of 2m has been used. No top cut has been applied.

4) The intersections listed in the table represent sections of at least 3m in excess of 1g/t Au and/or sections of at least 10m in excess of 0.5g/t Au.

5) The intersections represent sections drilled by reverse circulation (RC) and/or cored drilling (see Table 2).

6) The RC portions of the drill holes were sampled at 1m intervals. Dry samples were riffle-split to provide 2 kg samples sent to the laboratory. Wet samples were dried in the field, then riffle-split in the same way. The cored portion of the drill holes were sampled at one meter intervals and cut in half using a diamond saw.

Half-core is archived at the core storage facility on site while the other half was sent to the laboratory.

7) Samples were sent to ALS Chemex in Ouagadougou for standard preparation followed by Fire Assay on a 50g charge.

8) Certified standards were inserted every 15 samples, field duplicates (in the RC portions) about every 20 and blanks about every 30 samples. The blanks, certified standards and duplicate assays confirm that all assays used to compile the intersections quoted here have passed Volta's rigorous QA/QC checks.

**TABLE 2: Borehole collar coordinates and orientation parameters for Section 5475N.**

| Hole ID | Easting | Northing | Elevation | Depth     | Dip       |
|---------|---------|----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
|         |         | (m)      | (m)       | (degrees) | (degrees) |
| KRD182  | 739405  | 1289527  | 269       | 321,28    | -60       |
| KDH184  | 739437  | 1289496  | 268       | 241,00    | -58       |
| KDH186  | 739473  | 1289461  | 267       | 190,00    | -55       |
| KRD189  | 739508  | 1289427  | 266       | 345,00    | -60       |
| KDH190  | 739365  | 1289566  | 269       | 415,00    | -60       |

Under the guidelines of National Instrument 43-101, the qualified person for the Kiaka Gold Project is Mr. Guy Franceschi, Vice President, Exploration for Volta. Mr. Franceschi is a member of the European Federation of Geologists and has reviewed and approved the contents of this news release.

Volta is a mineral exploration company primarily focused on becoming a leader in the identification, acquisition and exploration of gold properties in West Africa. The Company is currently fast-tracking its flagship Kiaka Gold Project, located in Burkina Faso, toward a development decision.

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To view Figure 1: Location of collars on Section 5475N, please visit:  
[http://files.newswire.ca/407/Volta\\_figure1.doc](http://files.newswire.ca/407/Volta_figure1.doc)

To view Figure 2: Section 5475N at Kiaka Central Area, please visit:  
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